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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING PROPOSED REVISIONS TO THE TRIBUNAL'S RULES OF PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE

The Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs will hold a public hearing to receive public comments on proposed changes to the Michigan Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules (MOAHR) Administrative Hearing Rules rule set on Wednesday, November 16, 2022, at 9:00 a.m. The public hearing will take place at the Ottawa Building, 611 W. Ottawa St., 2nd floor, Hearing Room B, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

The MOAHR 19-part uniform hearing rules set is comprised of general hearing rules in the first part and the Tribunal's specific rules are in part 2. The Tribunal's proposed revisions update certain procedures to reflect current law and approved practices, such as the electronic payment of filing fees, the exclusion or redaction of personal identifying information, appeal by statutorily required petition, transfer of appeals from the small claims division to the entire tribunal, extensions and the default process, notice filing requirements, prehearing conferences, and mediation.

The proposed rules are published on the State of Michigan's website here. Copies of the proposed rules may also be obtained by mail or electronic mail at: moahr-ga@michigan.gov. Comments on the proposed rules may be made at the hearing, by mail, or by electronic mail at the following addresses until November 16, 2022, at 5:00 p.m. Suzanne Sonneborn, Executive Director, MOAHR, 611 W. Ottawa, P.O. Box 30695, Lansing, Michigan, 48909, moahr-ga@michigan.gov.

Sincerely,

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Chairperson, Michigan Tax Tribunal

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